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FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

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VALTRINA GLOYD, et. al.

Plaintiffs,

v.

MARK ALAN WECH and BRADLEY  
CALDWELL, INC.

Defendants,

Civil Action No. L-02CV0108

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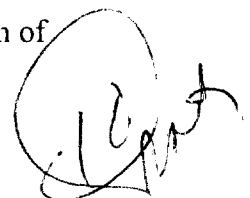
**Report of Parties' Planning Meeting**

Pursuant to this Court's Scheduling Order entered on March 20, 2002, undersigned counsel conferred and reached decisions and proposals regarding the following matters that were identified in this Court's Order as due by April 2, 2002.

1. **Joint request for early settlement/ADR conference.** The parties agree to participate in an early settlement/ADR conference.
2. **Report re: Depositions Hours.** Undersigned counsel for the parties have conferred about the nature and extent of the issues presented for deposition discovery. Liability and the amount of damages are contested. There are several eyewitnesses to the events surrounding the collision, as well as, several police and medical emergency personnel who responded to the scene and performed duties related to the crash, all of whom the parties believe are critical to depose. There are also several plaintiffs and defendant representatives, including the defendant tractor-trailer driver, that the parties believe are necessary to depose for purposes of establishing liability and damages. Due to the seriousness of this collision, the death of

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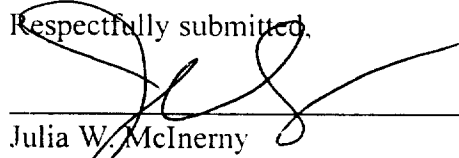
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3. **Initial report whether there is unanimous consent to proceed before a United States Magistrate Judge.** The parties do not consent.

4. The above provisions are agreed and consented to by undersigned counsel on behalf of their respective parties.

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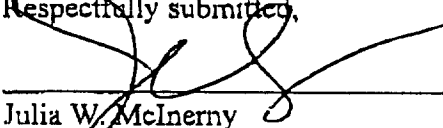
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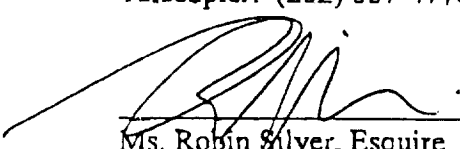
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